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--93. An input device for generating signals that represent input requests by a user, said device comprising:

a base portion having a top surface;

four primary keys disposed on said top surface;

at least one position-responsive input value selector that is responsive to a position of the top surface within a substantially horizontal plane; and

a signal generator operatively connected to the primary keys and the position-responsive selector generating a first signal indicating a user input value selection and a second signal indicating user data input request.

94. The input device of claim 93, wherein the primary keys are disposed on the top surface such that each finger of a user's hand rests on a primary key.

95. The input device of claim 94, wherein the primary keys are actuated without removing the finger from the primary key.

96. The input device of claim 93, further comprising a thumb key.

97. The input device of claim 93, wherein said position-responsive input value selector is responsive to changes in position along an Y- and/or Z-axis relative to a home state.

98. The input device of claim 93, wherein the base portion comprises a stationary bottom portion and a movable upper portion and said changes in position are of said upper portion relative to said stationary bottom portion.

99. The input device of claim 93, further comprising a second input device adapted for the other hand of the user. X

100. The input device of claim 97, wherein said base portion is movable on the surface upon which it is placed and said changes in position are of the entire base portion relative to its position prior to moving.

101. The input device of claim 100, wherein said input value selector is a mouse mechanism.

102. The input device of claim 98, wherein said selector is a joystick mechanism.

103. The input device of claim 93, further comprising a mouse mechanism and a device for selectively enabling said mouse mechanism to provide a signal indicating desired mouse-based user input.